Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 STATE 089090

42
ORIGIN EB-03

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 /004 R

66607
DRAFTED BY: EB/FTD:WCMIMS
APPROVED BY: EB/FTD:AJWILLIAMS
---------- 075994
P 181534Z APR 75
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY ATHENS PRIORITY

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 089090

FOR MICHAEL B. SMITH

FOL REPEAT OF BOGOTA 3505 TO SECSTATE APR 16

QTE: C O N F I D E N T I A L BOGOTA 3505

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ETRD, CU
SUBJECT: TEXTILE NEGOTIATIONS

1. BOGOTA PRESS TODAY CARRIED FRONT PAGE STORIES BASED ON UPI REPORT DATELINED NEW YORK APRIL 15 TO EFFECT THAT LEADERS OF AMALGAMATED CLOTHING WORKERS UNION HAD ANNOUNCED "FAILURE" OF US/GOC DISCUSSIONS ON TEXTILES AND RECOMMENDED THAT RETAILERS AND CONSUMERS NOT PURCHASE COLOMBIAN MADE CLOTHING.

2. COMMENT: IT WOULD APPEAR THAT UNION EITHER (A) UNAWARE OF DECISION TO RESUME DISCUSSION OR (B) IS ENGAGING IN "WAR OF NERVES". IN ANY EVENT ACTION COULD BE COUNTER-PRODUCTIVE ELEMENT IN NEGOTIATIONS AND WE SUGGEST IT MIGHT BE USEFUL TO BRIEF UNION IF IN FACT IT IS UNAWARE OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS. VAKY UNQTE KISSINGER

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: PRESS COMMENTS, TEXTILES, NEGOTIATIONS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 18 APR 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: buchantr
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975STATE089090
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: EB/FTD:WCMIMS
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750136-0918
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t19750437/aaaabiih.tel
Line Count: 49
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ORIGIN EB
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 1
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: buchantr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 02 JUN 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <02 JUN 2003 by BoyleJA>; APPROVED <08 OCT 2003 by buchantr>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
05 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: TEXTILE NEGOTIATIONS
TAGS: ETRD, CU
To: ATHENS
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006